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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
New England Office
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Boston, MA



Environmental Policy

Recognizing EPA New England's role as a positive force in the region's environment, health, economic and social advancement, we believe it is incumbent upon us to reach a higher standard of environmental excellence and to lead the way toward a more sustainable future. We will do this through our traditional outreach, research, and enforcement activities, and also through our own facility management. Our Boston facility will serve as a public example, fostering an understanding of the relationships among the natural and man-made environment, economics, and society as a whole.

To accomplish this policy, the managers and staff of EPA New England's Boston office, in partnership with our building owners, RAK Group, LLC, commit to:

- Manage our facility in a manner that protects the environment and protects the health of our employees.
- Practice sound environmental principles within our facility and promote them to the public.
- Improve our environmental performance continuously by establishing and periodically reviewing our environmental performance goals.
- Operate, renovate or construct facilities so as to maximize efficiency and minimize waste, thereby protecting the environment and conserving resources.
- Meet or go beyond compliance with all applicable Federal, State, and local environmental laws and regulations, and with all Federal Executive Orders.
- Prevent pollution before it is produced, reduce the amount of waste at our facility, re-use and recycle whenever possible, and support pollution prevention by our customers and suppliers.

Date

Robert W. Varney, Regional Administrator
EPA New England

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Michael McNamara, Building Manager
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